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Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

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A Pamphlet having been lately Publiſhed, entituled, The QUERIST, *&c. by the Right Rev. Dr.* George Berkely, *Lord Biſhop of* Cloyne *in* Ireland; *and as every Thing wrote by that excellent Prelate deſerves the Notice of the Public, we ſhall preſent our Readers with a few of his Querits.*

Qu. 13. WHETHER it may not concern the wiſdom of the legiſlature, to interpoſe in the making of faſhions; and not leave an affair of ſo great influence to the management of women and fops, taylors and vintners?

14. Whether reaſonable faſhions are a greater reſtraint on freedom, than thoſe which are unreaſonable?

15. Whether a general good taſte in a people would not greatly conduce to their thriving? And whether an uneducated gentry be not the greateſt of national evils?

16. Whether cuſtoms and faſhions do not ſupply the place of reaſon, in the vulgar of all ranks? Whether, therefore, it doth not very much import that they ſhould be wiſely framed?

49. Whether it would not be an unhappy turn in our gentlemen, if they ſhould take more thought to create an intereſt to themſelves in this or that county, or borough, than to promote the real intereſt of their country?

53. Whether ſome way might not be found for making criminals uſeful in public works, inſtead of ſending them either to America, or to the other world?

99. Whether, as our exports are leſſened, we ought not to leſſen our imports? And whether theſe will not be leſſened as our demands, and theſe as our wants, and theſe as our cuſtoms or faſhions? Of how great conſequence therefore are faſhions to the public?

141. Whether a woman of faſhion ought not to be declared a public enemy?

182. Whether our peers and gentlemen are born legiſlators? Or whether that faculty be acquired by ſtudy and reflection?

195. Whether a wiſe ſtate hath any intereſt nearer heart than the education of youth?

201. Whether the gentleman of eſtate hath a right to be idle? And whether he ought not to be the great promoter and director of induſtry, among his tenants and neighbours?

208. Whether, if women had no portions, we ſhould than ſee ſo many unhappy and unfruitful marriages?

233. Whether the credit of the public funds be not a mine of gold to England? And whether any ſtep that ſhould leſſen this credit ought not to be dreaded?

326. Whether it would not be better for this iſland, if all our fine folk of both ſexes were ſhipped off, to remain in foreign countries, rather than that they ſhould ſpend their eſtates at home, in foreign luxury, and ſpread the contagion thereof through their native land?

330. What right an eldeſt ſon hath to the worſt education?

374. What a folly is it to build fine houſes, or eſtabliſh lucrative poſts and large incomes, under the notion of providing for the poor?

385. Whether he who is chained in a goal, or dungeon, hath not, for the time, loſt his liberty? And if ſo, whether temporary ſlavery be not already admitted among us?

406. Whether fools do not make faſhions, and wiſe men follow them?

452. Whether it would not be an horrible thing, to ſee our matrons make dreſs and play their chief concern?

581. Whether faculties are not enlarged and improved by exerciſe?

PARIS, June 5.

THEY write from Breſt, that the Aremona frigate is ſailed from thence, in order to ſound the coaſts of France and make ſure of good anchorage for the fleet, which, they ſay, is to put to ſea towards the end of this month. They add, that the Proteus and the Amphion ſailed a few days ago for Louiſbourg, from whence they are to repair to the great bank, in order to protect the cod fiſhery.

Genoa, May 23. The affairs of Corſica are ſtill embroiled as much as ever, no ſecret being as yet found out to calm them. Our trade recovers, it is true; but the pyrates obſtruct it very conſiderably. The maſter of a Dutch ſhip informs us, that two veſſels of his nation were viſited, between Ivica and Barcelona, by a ſquadron of Algerine corſairs, conſiſting of 4 ſhips, and 10 xebecks, which cruize in that ſea. A pink from Temini met 3 others off Mount Algentiere, and ſome veſſels from Corſica bring advice, that there are 2 Barbary galleys cruizing between that iſland and Gargonna. We talk indeed of making an effort to ſcour the ſea of thoſe rovers; but the event hath not confirm'd all that has been ſaid on this ſubject for many months paſt.

Copenhagen, June 16. The king went down this morning to the new dock, and ſaw 2 men of war launched, viz. the Zealand, of 80 guns, and the Neptune of 70; and in the afternoon his majeſty ſet out to viſit the forts and works made in the iſlands of this kingdom.

Paris, June 19. We hear from Liſle, that the count d'Argenſon, minister and ſecretary at war, arrived there a few days ago, and is to go from thence to meet marſhal Belleiſle at Landrecy, in order to give directions for augmenting the fortifications of that town, as alſo thoſe of Rocroy and Mezieres, and forming large magazines in all thoſe places.

Peterſburg, June 9. As to the ſituation of affairs between us and the Swedes, we can write nothing poſitive: We very well know, that Baron Grieffenheim, the Swediſh minister, demanded a few days ago, an audience of the great chancellor count Beſtucheff, and immediately obtained it; and that the ſubject of it was of the utmoſt importance. Next poſt we may perhaps be able to deſcend to particulars.

Madrid, June 15. By the America and Conſtant, lately arrived at Cadiz, from the Carraccas, we have a confirmation that the tranquility of that colony is reſtored; that the inhabitants have returned to their habitations and reſpective occupations, upon the aſſurances given them, that the court was diſpoſed to do any thing that might contribute to promote and improve their trade? And as the Octroy of the Guypuſcoa company is near expiring, the inhabitants of the Carraccas flatter themſelves that the king will not renew it, but that they ſhall have the liberty of diſpoſing of their goods in the ſame manner as before that company was ſet up. However, the court has not yet decided any thing on this head.

Hague, June 25. Admiral Schryver is returned from a voyage which he took into Zealand to ſee the condition of its marine, and reports, that it is in the moſt deplorable ſituation, that whole province not being able to ſend out three men of war in caſe of the utmoſt neceſſity. This admiral is therefore very ſoon to return into Zealand, with orders to cauſe two new arſenals to be built; that is to ſay, one at Middleburg, and the other at Fleſſingve, and to ſee that the utmoſt diligence is uſed in building ſeveral new men of war.

Breſſe Sound, in Shetland, June 13. Arrived here the Pelham buſs and Diſpatch tender.

There came into the ſound the ſame day, a Dutch admiral and 60 buſſes. As alſo three Swediſh and two French buſſes, and more of the ſame nation are to follow them, the Carteret buſs and her tender are expected in this evening.

LONDON.

June 2. By letters from Moſcow we have an account of a dreadful fire in that city, which happen'd the beginning of laſt month, and in a few hours reduced to aſhes 1200 houſes.

Extract of a letter from the Hague, dated June 1.

" All the letters from Paris boaſt very much of the good ſituation of the kings finances, which encreaſe every day by the continuation of the taxes, and without any extraordinary expences made by the court, except the money laid out upon the marine, which is indeed very conſiderable.

The fleet which the French are fitting out is a very powerful one, but we can ſcarcely believe that it is to be ſent to the Baltic, as has been repreſented, but rather look upon it as intended to protect their trade. Whatever pretences are made uſe of to cover the real deſign of this fleet, ſeveral are of opinion, that the principal view of the court of France is, to fit out inſenſibly ſuch a number of men of war, as may enable her to act at all times in ſuch a manner as the circumſtances of affairs may require."

We hear that the report of the French making any attempts on our ſettlements at or near Nova-Scotia, prevented a great many going on board the Alderney yeſterday, who had intended to go and ſettle in that new colony.

June 6. They write from Stockholm of the 27th of laſt month, that the Royal fleet, conſiſting of 115 veſſels, among which they reckon twelve ſhips of the line of battle, eight frigates, and fifty gallies, is in excellent order, and ready to put to ſea at a few hours warning.

June 7. Private letters from Breſt, and ſome other ports of France, mention, that they are building ſeveral men of war, in order to put their marine on a good footing; that they have got a great many Engliſh workmen in the yard, who have been cajoiled by the French emiſſaries here, who promiſed them every thing they could wiſh for, at the time they were engaged; but experience has taught them how little thoſe promiſes are to be depended on; and that they are not only diſappointed in what they expected, but have very little hopes of returning home, which they earneſtly deſire.

June 11. The laſt letters from Carthagena adviſe, that freſh orders were come down from Madrid, for ſending out as ſoon as poſſible, the four large frigates, together with the xebeques and other veſſels, armed in that port, in order to give chace to the Barbary corſairs,

Advices from Genoa of 31ſt of laſt month, ſay, that ſeveral veſſels were arrived there from Marſeilles, and amongſt them a felucca, with ſeveral paſſengers, who report, that they have actually 23 ſhips of the line and frigates in the harbour of Toulon; and that it was currently reported, the ſaid ſhips would be ſpeedily fitted out.

June 13. An order is iſſued for another regiment of foot, on the Iriſh eſtabliſhment, to be ſent to Nova-Scotia, for which the ſeveral regiments are to caſt dice on the drum head.

June 20. According to letters from Peterſburg, by the way of Hamburg, the Ruſſian fleet was to ſail from Cronſtadt the 20th inſtant, and be in the road of Dantzick about the beginning of next month. They add, that the Ruſſian commiſſary of Dantzick had already received orders to buy up proviſions for the ſaid fleet.

By letters from Stockholm of the 15th inſt. we are informed that a ſhip is arrived there from Nerva, with advice that the Ruſſian fleet was actually ſailed for the Baltic; and that the Swediſh court had thereupon iſſued orders for their fleet to put to ſea with all poſſible expedition.

June 22. Two regiments of foot in Ireland are ordered to embark for Jamaica, to keep the negroes in order, ſome of them having lately mutinied.

June 23. They write from Breſt, that M. Rouille, the French ſecretary of ſtate for the marine, arrived there the 19th inſtant, and is to proceed from thence, to viſit ſeveral other ports of France. They add, that by the vigilance and abilities of this miniſter, they are now maſters of a powerful navy, which they can ſend out upon any emergency.

Letters from Dantzick adviſe, that the Magiſtrates have ordered the garriſon of Fort Weixelmund to be conſiderably reinforced, on account of the Ruſſian fleet being expected in the road of that city.

The Alderne, Capt. Pendock Neale, having on board between 4 and 500 ſettlers for Nova-Scotia, lies wind bound at the Nore.

It is reported that four men of war and two ſloops are ordered to be fitted out with all expedition, in order to be ſtationed in the Mediterranean, to have an eye upon the Barbary corſairs.

Extract of a letter from Bruſſels, dated July 1.

" The report ſpread ſome time ago, that his moſt Chriſtian majeſty had ſent freſh orders to the marquis de Caylus, governor of Martinico, to evacuate the iſlands of Tobago, St. Lucia, &c. was premature. We have advice from very good hands at Rochelle, that the frigate which was to carry over thoſe orders, is ſtill in that port, nor does any one know when ſhe will ſet ſail: Hence, we are inclined to believe that this affair may be one of thoſe articles which are to be determined at the conferences to be held by the commiſſaries of the two crowns, for ſettling their reſpective limits and poſſeſſions in America."

July 6. Letters from Paris adviſe, that on the remonſtrances of the earl of Albemarle to the marquis de Puyſieux, concerning the encroachments of the French on Nova-Scotia, the marquis abſolutely diſavowed and condemned the conduct of M. de la Jonquiere; declaring, that he had no inſtructions from court to give the leaſt diſturbance to the Engliſh in that ſettlement, and that orders ſhould be immediately ſent him to withdraw his troops, and ſuit his whole conduct to the harmony which at preſent ſubſiſts between the two nations.

Yeſterday the gentlemen who conduct the fiſhery, received the firſt parcel of herrings, caught by the Pelham and Carteret buſſes, off Shetland.

May 22. It is remark'd, that ſir Samuel Pennant, ſir Daniel Lambert, Baron Clark, ſir Thomas Abney, Mr. Beardſmore, deputy marſhal to lord chief juſtice Lee, Mr. Cox, the under-ſheriff, Mr. Sharpleſs, clerk of the papers, counſellor Baird, counſellor Otway, Deputy Hunt, Mr. Malbet, the linnin draper, Mr. Taddy, the apothecary, Mr. Ware, one of the jury, and Mr. Chandler, the attorney, all deceaſed, were at the laſt ſeſſions at the Old-Bailey, and ſuppos'd to have there caught ſome infection.

As the deaths of the above mentioned perſons who were at the laſt ſeſſions held at the Old-Bailey, have been attributed to the noiſom ſtench of the priſoners, we have in confirmation of the ſaid opinion, quoted the following, from one of Dr. Mead's books.

" In our common priſons many have what they call the *Goal Fever*, which is always attended with a degree of *Malignity*, in proportion to the coldneſs and ſtench of the place; and it would certainly very well become the wiſdom of the government, as well with regard to the health of the town, as in compaſſion to the priſoners, to take care, that all houſes of confinement ſhould be kept as airy and clean as is conſiſtent with the uſe to which they are deſigned."

" The *Black Aſſize* at *Oxford*, held in the caſtle there, in the year 1577, will never be forgot; in which the judges, gentry, and almoſt all that were preſent, to the number of three hundred, were kill'd by a poiſonous ſteam, thought by ſome to have broken forth from the earth; but by a noble and great philoſopher (lord Bacon) more juſtly ſuppos'd to have been brought by the priſoners out of the goal into the court, it being obſerved that they alone were not injured by it."

We have the following farther particular account of the above mentioned black aſſize, from ſir Richard Baker's chronicle. p. 353.

" At the aſſizes at Oxford, in the 19th year of queen Elizabeth, the court were ſurpriz'd with a peſtilent ſavour, whether riſing from the noiſome ſmell of the priſoners, or from the damp of the ground is uncertain; but all that were preſent within 40 hours died, except women and children, and the contagion went no farther. There died Robert Bell, lord chief baron; Robert D'oylie, ſir William Babington, Doyle ſheriff of Oxford, Harcourt, Weyman and Fettiplace, Barham the famous Lawyer, almoſt all the jurors, and 300 others, more or leſs."

June 16. Letters from Conſtantinople adviſe, that the vizir has made an expreſs declaration to the Swediſh miniſter, that if Sweden ſhou'd be attacked by any power whatever, the grand ſignor would aſſiſt that court with all his forces; which the preſent diſtracted ſtate of affairs of Perſia leaves him at full liberty to do.

An envoy is lately arrived from the emperor of Moroco, to treat for the ranſom of the Engliſh priſoners detained at Fez and Tetuan, and renew the treaty of friendſhip between his majeſty and that emperor.

Juſt

June 14. Last Monday night about ten o'clock, a servant maid was seiz'd by an infamous villian in St. Thomas's ſtreet, who, after inſulting her, forced a ſtick up her body, ſtuck with nails tranſverſely; ſo that by extracting the ſtick the nails tore out part of the body of the womb, and the pudendum hanging by a filament only, was cut off. The mouths of the veſſels being open, a conſiderable effuſion of blood enſued. This is a cruelty not to be met with among Barbarians: And it is to be hoped a reward will be publiſhed for apprehending and bringing to juſtice the villain who was guilty of it; for ſince he is an enemy to human nature, all mankind ought to riſe againſt him. The poor creature is alive, and in exceſſive miſery.

ANNAPOLIS.

Yeſterday ſail'd from hence for *London*, the Ship *Baltimore*, Capt. *Nathanael Chew*, with whom went Paſſengers Mr. *Richard Lloyd* of *Kent* County, Mr. *Dennis Dulany* and Mr. *William Thomas*.

We hear that the Commiſſioners for ſettling the Line between *Maryland* and *Pennſylvania*, are to meet at *New-Caſtle* on the 15th of next Month, to begin and proceed in the running, marking and laying out the ſame.

Cuſtom Houſe, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,
Sloop Dolphin, John Garret, from Rhode Iſland.

Cleared for Departure,
Brigantine Peace, Henry Young, for Biddeford;
Ship Britannia, John Lacey, for Barnſtaple;
Ship Prince Frederick, James Cawley, for London;
Ship Baltimore, Nathanael Chew, for London;
Snow Tryall, John Johnſton, for London.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

DELIVERED to ſome Perſon laſt Summer, by Miſtake, from on board the Ship *Baltimore*, Capt. *Nathanael Chew*, then lying in *Patapſco* River, a Caſk of Nails, marked TR. No. A.

Whoever has them, are deſired to give Notice to Mr. *Daniel Wolſtenholme*, Merchant in *Annapolis*, who will give Twenty Shillings to any one who will acquaint him where they are.

LOST in the Bay, off the *Bodkin* Point, at the Mouth of *Patapſco*, on Thurſday the 27th of *September* laſt, in the Night, a Pettiauger, 20 Feet in length, and about 3 Feet in width, a Forecaſtle, and a Locker in her Stern, her upper Works Painted red, her Stern fac'd with Iron, with a Hatchet and Lead Line in the Stern Locker.

Whoever takes her up, and delivers her to Capt. *William Sanders*, at the Mouth of *South* River, ſhall have Thirty Shillings Reward, or whoever will give Information where ſhe is, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Edward Ford*, in *Charles* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Black Mare, her hind Feet white, Switch Tail, and has a white Streak down the Hoof of her right Foot, and branded on the off Buttock thus W E.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

October 3, 1750.

RAN away Yeſterday from the Subſcriber, a Servant Man named *Philip Edwards*, by Trade a Ship Carpenter, but will pretend to be a Sailor; he was born in the Weſt of *England*, is a ſhort well ſet Fellow, about 22 Years of Age: He had on when he went away, a Sailor's blue Pea Jacket, a Pair of red figured Plush Breeches, black Wig, a Check Shirt and ſeveral other Things. I apprehend he will attempt to ſhip himſelf on board ſome Veſſel for *England*.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Three Pounds Reward beſides what the Law allows, paid by SAMUEL GALLOWAY.

RAN away from the Subſcriber on Tueſday, being the 18th of *September* laſt, a Negro Fellow, named *Harry*, about 22 Years of Age, a luſty well ſet Fellow, very Black, and a Scar on his upper Lip, occaſioned by a Cut. He had on when he went away, the Body of an old Bear ſkin Coat, an old Jacket, wide Oſnabrigs Trowſers, and a Leather Hunting Cap.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Negro, ſo as his Maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by THOMAS LINTHICUM, junior.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wedneſday the 21ſt Day of November *next, at* Cheſter-Town, *in* Kent *County; for the ſole Advantage of* John Owen *of* London, *and the proper Repreſentatives of* William Belch *deceaſed*,

FIFTEEN Years Leaſe of one Moiety of a Lot in *Cheſter Town*, belonging to the Eſtate of Capt. *Richard Lux* deceaſed; on which is a Dwelling Houſe, 40 Feet in Front, and 20 Feet Deep, and many other Improvements, all in good Repair. SAMUEL GALLOWAY.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP,

A SERVANT Man's Time, who has upwards of ſix Years to Serve; he is a very good Sawyer, and can do ſeveral Sorts of Carpenter's and Joiner's Work. Enquire of the Printer of this Paper.

AN Overſeer, of a good Character, who is a ſingle Man, upwards of Thirty Years of Age, and capable of Managing a large Gang of Negroes, may hear of very good Encouragement, by enquiring of the Printer hereof.

JUST PUBLISHED

And to be SOLD, by the Printer hereof, (Price 2s. 6d)

LETTERS on the Spirit of PATRIOTISM: On the Idea of a PATRIOT KING: And on the STATE of PARTIES, at the Acceſſion of KING *GEORGE* the FIRST.

JUST IMPORTED

And to be SOLD, very reaſonably

By BEALE BORDLEY, oppoſite to where Mr. *Swan* lately kept Store, in ANNAPOLIS.

A CHOICE Parcel of Winter Goods, as Broad Cloths in Patterns and Pieces with ſuitable Trimmings, Kerſeys, Half-thicks, Duffells, Fear-nothings, Swanſkin, Scarlet Flannel, Embos'd Serge, fine *German* Serges, Druggets, *Welch* Cotton, Shalloons, Tammies, Callamancoes, Damaſks, Floretts, Silk and Worſted Camblets, ſtriped Ditto, Womens ſcarlet and blue ſhort Cloaks, Cumberland Shades; as alſo fine, coarſe and ſtout Oſnabrigs, beſt brown Rolls, Garlix, Dowlas, Cotton and Linnen Checks, Bag Hollands, brown Hollands, Princes Linnens, *Ruſſia* Drab, Cotton Hollands, Cotton Gowns, fine white Callico, ſuperfine Seerſucker, German Quilten, figured Demity, white Buckram, Topſells, Bed Bunts, Bed Cords, beſt Temple Spectacles, Gauging Rods, Parchment, and a choice Parcel of fine *Scotch* Threads; Stationary, Haberdaſhery, Cutlary, *Ridout*'s beſt Men's turn'd Shoes and *London* Falls ſold cheap, Stockings, Gloves, Beaver, Caſtor and Felt Hats, ſetts of Shoemaker's Tools, Powder, Shot, Lead, Coffee, beſt large Hair-Sifters, Punch Ditto, Milk Strainers, Clamps, large Hair Brooms, and many other Things too tedious to particularize.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Stephen Bordley* of *Kent* County, taken up as a Stray; a ſmall dark Bay Gelding, branded on the right Buttock with the Letters TB join'd together.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

THE Plantation, Negroes, and Stock of all Kinds, belonging to *William Hunt*, Eſq; Merchant in *London*. The Land lies in *Anne Arundel* County between *South* River and *Kilkenny* Warehouſes, about Four Miles Diſtance from each, is commonly called and known by the Name of *Rawlings*'s Plantation, is a remarkable Soil for Producing fine Tobacco, and contains near 1200 Acres, with an extraordinary good Orchard, Twelve Tobacco Houſes at leaſt, a Dwelling Houſe and other neceſſary Out Houſes; there are Thirty Negroes, young and old, with ſundry Stock and Plantation Utenſils thereon.

Any Perſon or Perſons inclinable to Purchaſe the whole, may be ſhewn the Title by, or treat with, the Subſcriber, as to Price or Terms of Payment, at his Houſe on the North ſide of *Severn*, or at *Annapolis* on Wedneſdays and Saturdays.

RACHEL DENTON.

TO BE SOLD *by the Subscriber's at* Baltimore-Town,

A LARGE Assortment of *European* and *India* Goods, by Wholesale, on very reasonable Terms, for either Bills of Exchange, Paper Currency, or Gold.

JOHN and CHRISTOPHER CARNAN.

RAN away on the 10th of *September* last, from the Subscriber living at *Patapsco* Ferry, *Maryland*, the Two following *Irish* Convict Servant Men; *viz.*

Lawrence M'Carty, a middle siz'd Fellow, looks very thin and pale, having lately had the Fever and Ague, and his Eyes are somewhat sore; he had on when he went away two red Jackets, blue Breeches (which he may probably wear under a Pair of short Trowsers), blue Stockings, and old Shoes; he has short Hair, and generally wears a red mill'd Cap; his Hat is bound round with Linnen: He is a palavering Fellow, and has not much of the *Irish* Brogue.

Martin Lacy, a short well set Fellow full faced, much pitted with the Small-Pox, is of a sandy Complexion, and very talkative; he had on a red Jacket, a blue ditto without Sleeves, short Sailors Trowsers, two Osnabrigs Shirts, one Holland ditto much worn at the Wristbands, an old Felt Hat done over with Pitch, and old Shoes. They came in with Capt. *Dobbins*, and have rowed in the Ferry Boats near 9 Months. 'Tis supposed there are more in company; and that they went down the River in a Canoe, which they stole from *Vincent Dorsey*, in order to go on board some Ship, as they are both Seamen.

Whoever secures the said Servants so as their Master may have them again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, including what the Law allows, if taken on the Western Shore of *Maryland*; and if taken on the Eastern Shore, or in *Virginia* or *Pennsylvania*, Ten Pounds, including as above: paid by

JOSHUA DORSEY.

TO BE SOLD, for good Bills of Exchange, or Paper Currency,

A TRACT of Land, lying in *Kent* County, about a Mile and a half from *George*-Town, called, *The first Part of Free Gift*, containing 2000 Acres, well Timber'd, and very good, conveniently situated for Trade or Public Business.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may treat with Mr. *Benjamin Mackall*, junior, who will attend at *George*-Town, on Tuesday the 23d Day of *October* next for that purpose.

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, at his Store in Annapolis,

CHOICE old *West-India* Rum, at 2*s.* 4*d.* Sterling, or 4*s.* Currency, *per* Gallon, Ready Pay: Also Best *New-England* Rum, at the cheapest Rates.

WILLIAM STEUART.

September 4, 1750.

RAN away from the Subscriber at *Bladensburg*, a Convict Servant Man, named *Thomas Butler*, born in *Ireland*, he has been in the Country about three Years, and lately employ'd as a Carter, tho' he may pretend to be a Bricklayer or Plaisterer; he was in *Rappahannock* some Years ago as a Sailor; he is middle siz'd, dark Complexion, and his Face very much pitted with the Small-Pox; he had on when he went away, a Linnen Coat or Frock, Plaid Waistcoat, a Cotton Jacket dyed, brown Linnen Shirts, Linnen Breeches, dark Worsted Stockings, Country-made Shoes, Felt Hat, and a Wig; he is very much given to Swearing and Drinking, his Legs are sore or very lately cured, but are red on his Shin Bones.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, in *Prince George's* County in *Maryland*, shall have one Pistole Reward, if taken out of the Province, besides what the Law allows, and if taken at a greater Distance than Fifty Miles Two Pistoles, and Twenty Shillings Currency if taken in *Maryland*, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER LOWNDES.

N. B. He has a Cutlass with him, and it is supposed he will endeavour to get on board some Man of War.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Robert Tealdhall* in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, an old Grey Horse, branded on the near Shoulder thus ⊃ he Paces slow and breaks into a short Gallop.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

LATELY IMPORTED,

In the DAVENPORT, *Capt.* CHARLES ALDEN *from* LONDON,

And to be SOLD

By the Subscriber, very Cheap, at his Store House in ANNAPOLIS,

A GREAT Variety of *European* and *India* Goods, by Wholesale or Retale, either for Current Money, Sterling or Tobacco.

JOHN BRICE.

September 12, 1750.

WILLIAM RANDALL, SADDLER,

WITHIN the Town-Gate of *Annapolis*, next to the Widow *M'Leod's*, makes and mends all Sorts of Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Bags and Portmanteaus; he likewise makes Harnesses for Chaises, or any Wheeling Carriage, Horse Collars, Mill Pads, &c. &c.

The said *William Randall*, having a good able Horse, will undertake Journeys, to any Part of the Province, with the utmost Expedition and Fidelity, to the full Satisfaction, of any Gentlemen, who are pleased to employ him.

September 4, 1750.

WHEREAS *Elizabeth Sellman*, the Wife of the Subscriber, living at *Elk Ridge* in *Anne-Arundel* County, hath Eloped from her said Husband, and gone away with *William Freeman*; this is therefore to forewarn all Persons from Trusting her on my Account; for I will Pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date. CHARLES SELLMAN.

N. B. She has taken away with her a great many of her Husband's Cloaths, and other Things, and a Scarlet Cloak which cost 2 Guineas.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, Containing 216 Acres, lying in *Frederick* County, and adjoining to Mr. *Samuel Thomas's*, called *Beall's Manor*, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling Cash, Paper Currency, or Tobacco. Any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with Mr. *Rignall Odell*, in *Prince George's* County, who will make the Purchaser an indisputable Title.

CHARLES BRYAN, SHOEMAKER, from *London*,

At the House of Mr. John Anderson, *Cabinet-Maker, in* South-East *Street, in* Annapolis,

MAKES all Sorts of Boots, and Men and Womens Shoes and Slippers, in the best and neatest Manner, and at the cheapest Rates.

CHARLES WALLACE, STAYMAKER,

HAVING lately Imported from *London*, a choice Parcel of the very best Whalebone, and every other Article for his Business, hereby gives Notice, That he can furnish Ladies or Others, with Stays as good as can be made in *London*, and at reasonable Rates, either for Paper Money, Gold, Sterling, or Bills: And having a Number of skilful Hands, those who want Stays, may be readily furnish'd by

Their humble Servant

CHARLES WALLACE.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Subscriber intends to leave this Province in a short Time; and desires all Persons who have any Claims or Demands on him, to bring in their Accounts that they may be paid: And all those who are any Ways Indebted to him, are desired to make Speedy Payment; Or else ..... JOHN FEARON.

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